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MISSOULA--

Four more Montana prep football players have signed national letters of intent with the University of Montana. The in-state recruiting list has now grown to eight.

Robin Fritz of Sidney, Dennis Torgerson, formerly of Helena and now residing in Plentywood, Bill Dolan of Helena and Vince Hunter of Kalispell will attend UM fall quarter.

Fritz, a 6-1, 180 pound running back from Sidney High School was an all-state second team choice and an all-conference first team choice in class A this past fall. He averaged 11.0 yards per carry and gained almost 1,000 yards rushing.

His football coach was Mike Gear. Fritz also competes in basketball and track.

"Robin is a big and strong running back who we think will see playing time as a freshman," UM Head Football Coach Gene Carlson said. "He has great speed (4.6 in the 40) and a lot of potential."

Fritz plans to study physical therapy at UM.

Torgerson, an offensive center at Helena Capital, was a class AA all-state and all-conference first team selection in 1976. The 6-1, 230 pound center was coached by Tim Dennison at Capital.

Torgerson also wrestled at Capital during his junior year. He now attends Plentywood High School.

"Dennis is a definite prospect at center," Carlson said. "He has good speed off the ball and was one of the best offensive blockers we saw."

Torgerson plans to study Business Education at UM.

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Dolan is the sixth Montanan so far to sign with UM. The 5-10, 170 pound wide receiver was an all-state first team selection in class AA on both offense and defense. Dolan was a cornerback and wide receiver at Helena Capital, where he was team captain this past season. He also plays basketball.

"Bill has great ability as a pass receiver," Carlson said. "He has all the necessary tools to be an outstanding football player."

An honor student, Dolan will major in Radio-TV at UM.

Hunter is a 5-9½, 170 pound running back and defensive back from Flathead High School. Hunter was a first team class AA and second team all-state selection this past season. He also captained the 1976 Flathead football team. He was coached by Gene Boyle.

Hunter is also a trackman and ran a 10.0 100 yard dash as a junior.

"We intend to have Vince play offense but we'll consider him at cornerback," Carlson said. "He has great speed and is a fine competitor."

Hunter will major in Business or Art at Montana.

Hunter is the son of Neil and Paula Hunter of Kalispell. Dolan is the son of Mrs. Francis Dolan of Helena. Torgerson is the son of Mrs. Lyle Steffins of Plentywood. Fritz is the son of Susan Erickson of Sidney.